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MINUTES OF MEETING OF PROGRAM PROJECTION COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY SERVICES  
January 27, 1956

Present - C. C. Lang, Chairman; P. H. Stone, Laurel Sabrosky, Ruth Hodgson, Ev Niederfrank, Ward Porter, Neil Raudabaugh, Helen Turner.

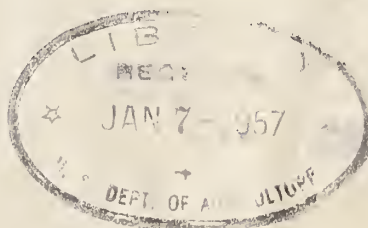
Ev Niederfrank submitted a report on defining the community concept which had been prepared by Sabrosky, Stone, and himself. The report defined and briefly elaborated upon the nature of the local community as an area, social group and process; distinguishes it from services as such; and listed some key points having application to program projection. After a few minor suggestions were made it was accepted and considered completed.

Ward Porter presented a subcommittee report on defining community service, which had been prepared by Beauchamp, Hodgson, Raudabaugh, and himself. Considerable discussion ensued as to the distinction, if any, between community services and other services, and it was moved and approved that Chairman Lang appoint the two chairmen (Porter and Sabrosky or Niederfrank) to prepare an additional short statement clarifying this matter.

It was decided that another meeting be held prior to the long meeting in mid-February, and that this next meeting be Friday, February 3, at 9:30. It will be in Room 6451.

It was further suggested that the agenda for this meeting include a discussion of what are the most important things about the subject of community services that should be said for the benefit of extension agents to help them on program projection. The subcommittee on listing community services (Callahan, Chairman) will also report at this time, and there will be an additional report on defining community services (above new assignment).

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